

UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY REGION 7

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MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT: Termination of Unilateral Administrative Order Requiring Corrective Action

Docket No. VII-97-H-0011

R.V. Hopkins, Inc., Davenport, Iowa

EPA ID No. IAD022096028

FROM:

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THRU:

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TO:

John J. Smith, Acting Director

Land, Chemical & Redevelopment Division

The R.V. Hopkins facility, also known as Quad City Drum Recycling, in Davenport, Iowa, has an open Unilateral Administrative Order which required the performance of corrective measures to characterize and dispose of hazardous waste piles and drummed hazardous wastes. The Order was issued by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency in 1997 pursuant to Section 7003(a) of the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act, as amended, 42 U.S.C. § 6973(a).

R.V. Hopkins, Inc. and Quad City Drum Recycling Co., Inc. operated as a drum reconditioning/recycling facility from 1964 to sometime in 2012. Drum reconditioning consisted primarily of washing, shot blasting, and repainting metal 55-gallon drums. Both companies are defunct and were administratively dissolved by the Iowa Secretary of State on August 9, 2012.

The EPA has completed interim corrective measures at the facility that consisted of drummed waste characterization and removal and soil capping using funds provided through financial assurance. All the waste piles and drummed wastes have been disposed of off-site. A corrective measures final remedy

consisting of institutional controls was selected for the facility on March 21, 2019. The EPA is working with the current property owners to establish Environmental Covenants that will impose activity and use limitations on the facility. Based on the work that has been performed and current site conditions, I recommend that you sign below to formally terminate the Order.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF TERMINATION AND SATISFACTION

This decision document terminates the Unilateral Administrative Order, Docket No. VII-97-H-0011 for the R.V. Hopkins facility located in Davenport, Iowa.

Approved

Date

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